Tri-Colors:

Seedling - John Sparkman of Jacksonville

Amateur Single - "Scarlet Giant" grown by Edward C. Wissner of Daytona Beach.

Amateur Double - "Mrs. Tom Hudson" grown by Mrs. F. Berger

Amateur Semi-Double - "Cile Tinney" grown by Louise Johnson of Ormond Beach.

Commercial Single - "Harry Goulding" grown by Carver & Roxy's Nursery of Mt. Dora.

Commercial Double - "Viola Connery" grown by Barling's Nursery of Orlando.

Commercial Semi-Double - "Doris Ellen" grown by Ralph Philo of Ft. Myers.

The best Amateur bloom was the "Mrs. Tom Hudson" grown by Mrs. Berger and the best Commercial bloom was the "Viola Connery" grown by Barling of Orlando.

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PUTNAM SHOW

The Putnam Chapter honored Captain Roderick O. Middleton, who had a great deal to do with the development of the Polaris missle. Mrs. McKnight of McKnight Nursery of Jacksonville presented a new seedling, "Ethel Middleton" in honor of Mrs. Middleton. "Rodney Ann" was presented to the Captain's daughter by W. Bruce Parnell of Winter Haven. The "Polaris", hybrodized by the Sparkman Nursery of Jacksonville was introduced by Mrs. Sparkman.

Winners of the show were:

Amateurs:

Single "Miss Sally" by Col. Squires of Daytona Beach.

Double "Kathy" by C. S. McCall of Palatka

Commercial:

Double "Florida Sands" by Monroe's Hibiscus Nursery of Eagle Lake.

Miniature:

Mrs. Paul Goodman took this award with a "Williams 1001", Mrs. Goodman is from Orlando.

Seedling:

Grown by Hibiscus Haven of Lake Helen. The bloom was a large single called "Uncle Bertie".

The Best Amateur Bloom was the "Kathy" by McCall and the Best Commercial was the "Florida Sands" by Monroe's Hibiscus Nursery.

A very interesting film was presented by Captain Middleton showing some of the work of the Navy and the Polaris missle.

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SUNSET SHOW

Sunset Chapter held its annual show on October 1st with over 800 people seeing the beautiful bloom. The show featured the new aluminum display racks and new plastic holders. The show also used special gold seal ribbons instead of the old first place ribbon with a gold sticker.

Winners were:

Sweepstakes:

Amateur - Eris Gilliard of Orlando.

Collector - Bill Cutler of St. Petersburg.

Commercial - Monroe's Hibiscus Nursery of Eagle Lake, Florida.

Tri-Colors:

Seedling: Mrs. John Tipton took the honors.

Amateur:

Single "Nagao 20" by Mr. & Mrs. E. P. Sutton of Winter Haven.

Double "Amazon" by Mr. & Mrs. Milton Marks of St. Petersburg.

Collector:

Single "Velvet Touch" by Mr. & Mrs. L. T.